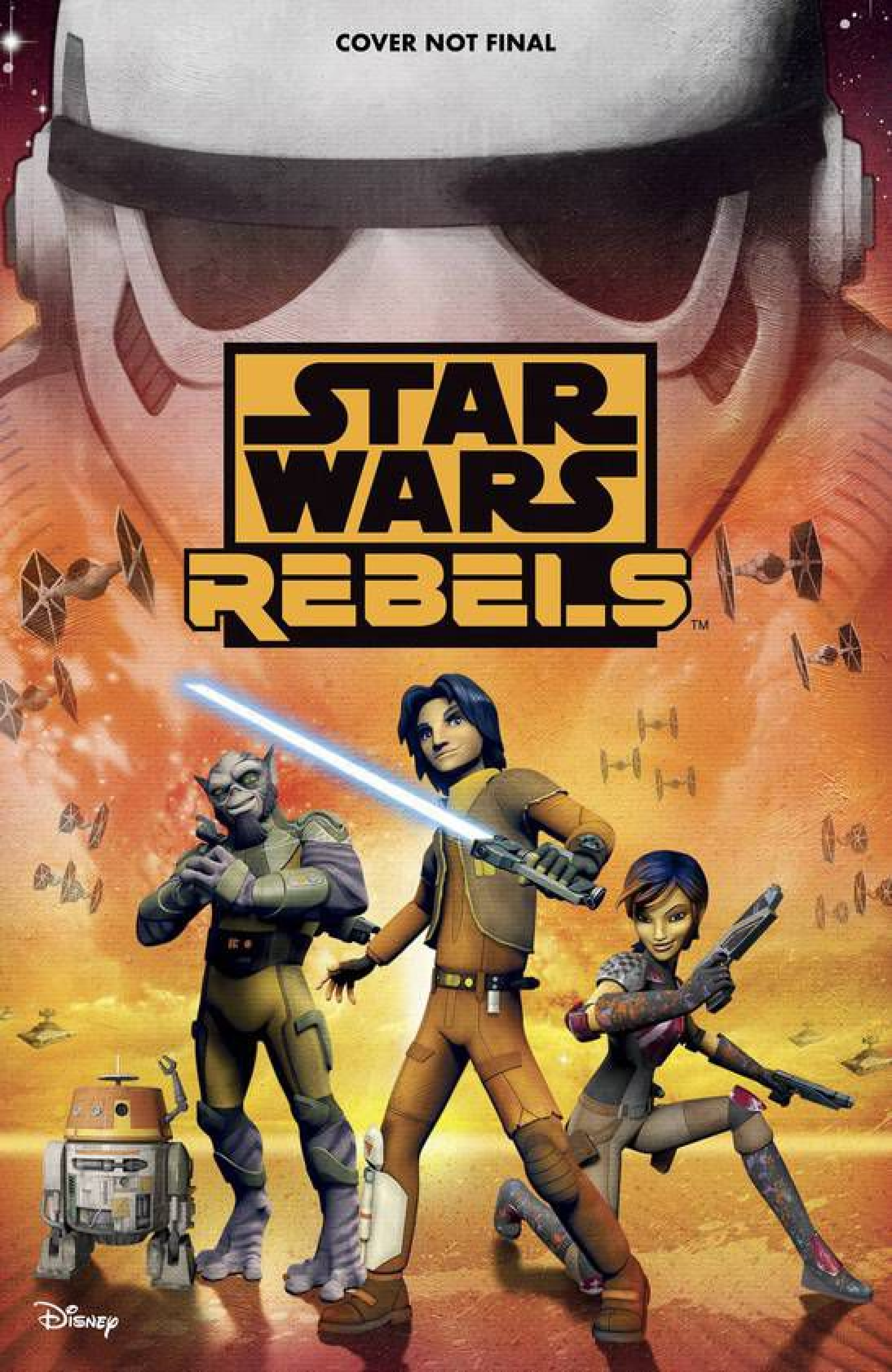
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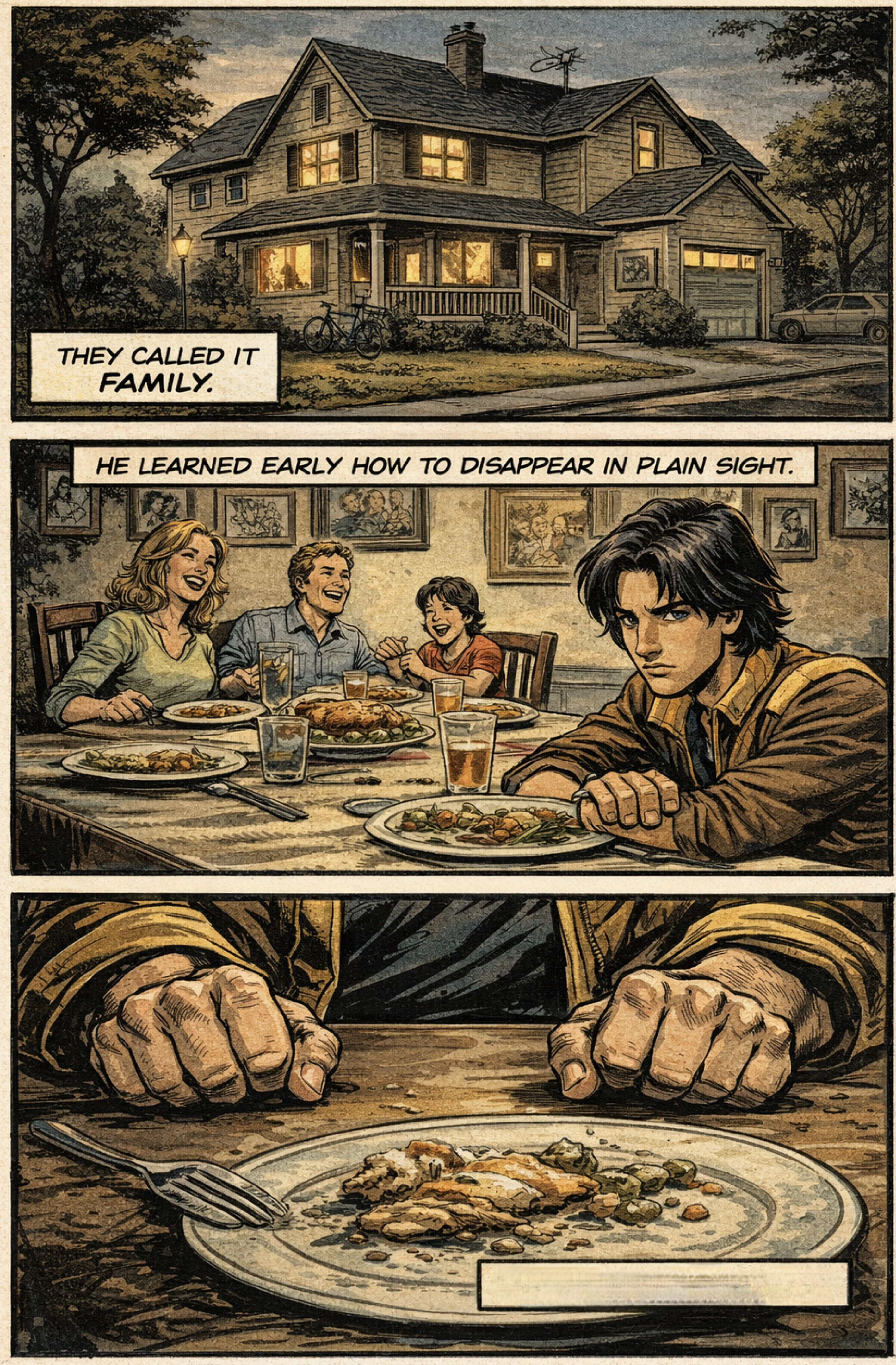
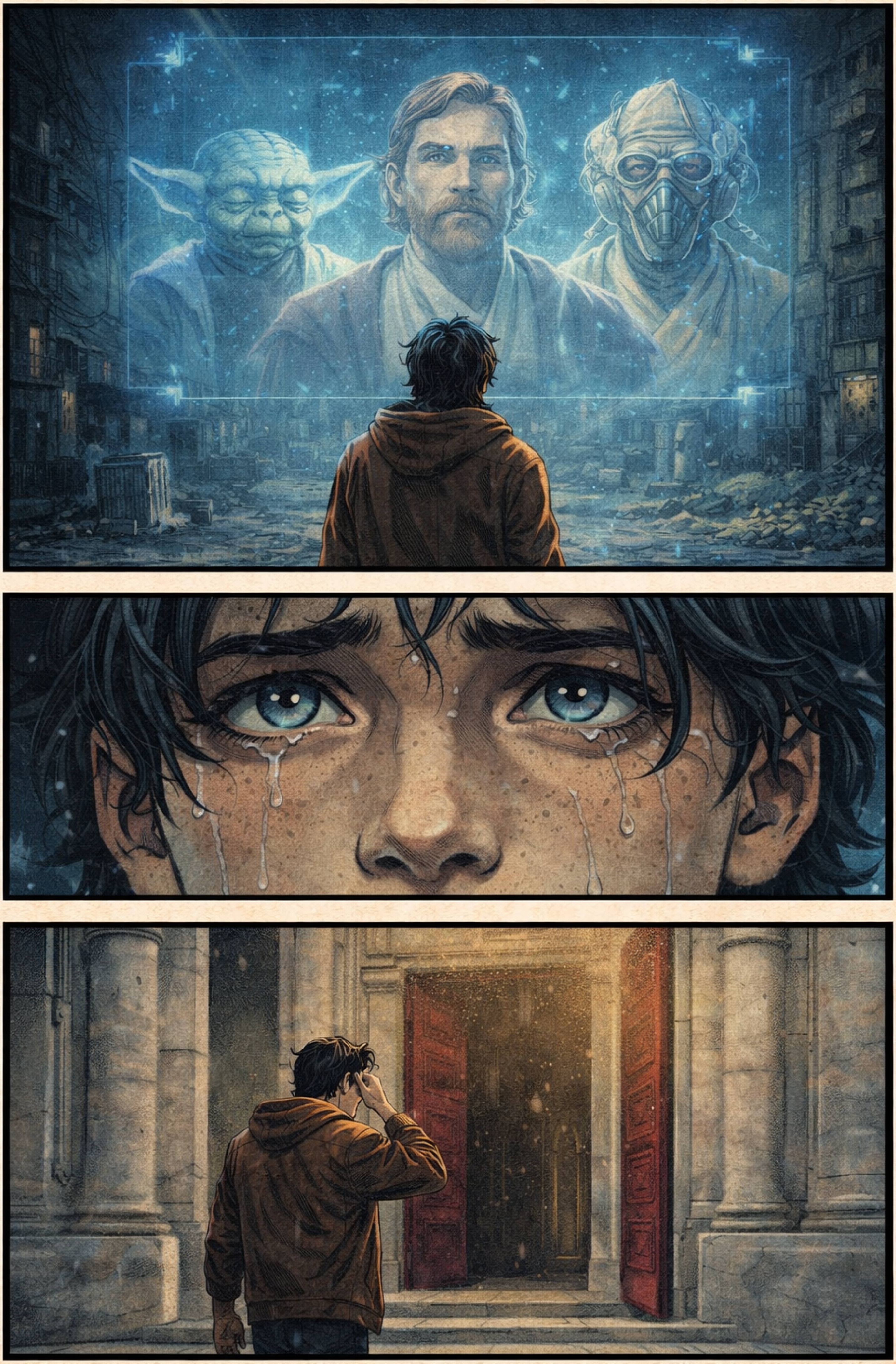

THEY CALLED IT FAMILY.
HE LEARNED EARLY HOW TO DISAPPEAR IN PLAIN SIGHT.

THERE WAS A TIME HE BELIEVED.

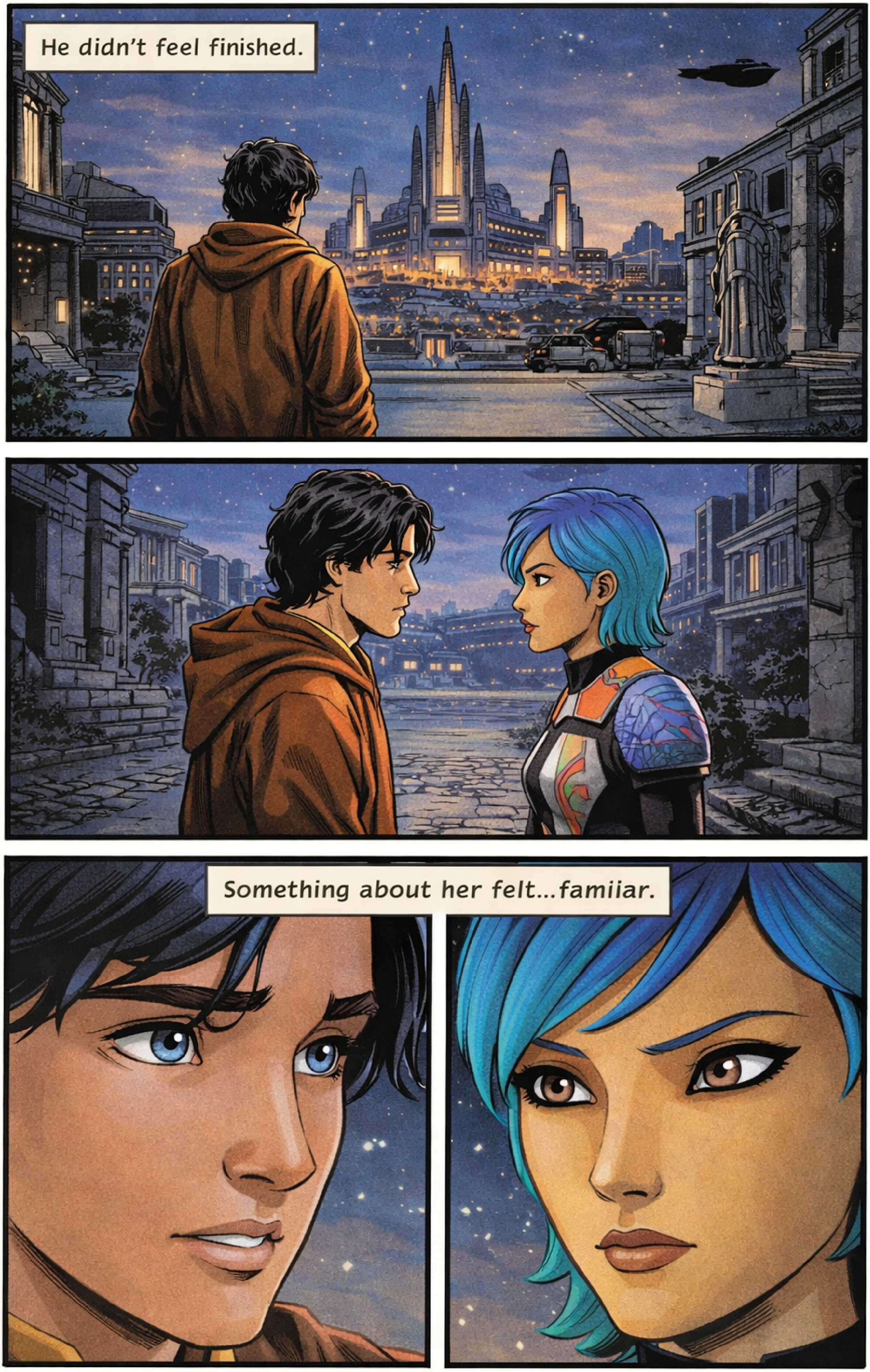
HEY!
HE TRIED TO SURVIVE ALONE.
...AND FAILED.

What am I doing with my life?



He didn't want power.
He wanted meaning
If I become a Jedi, maybe I'll find out who can really save me from this pain.

AND SO HE JOINED THE JEDI ACADEMY
TO TURN HIS LIFE AROUND


He didn’t feel finished.
Something about her felt…famiiar.

It felt... right.

For a moment... they were in love.

DO YOU EVER THINK ABOUT... US?
OUR FUTURE?
I DON'T KNOW.
I TRY GOT TO THINK ABOUT IT... IT HURTS.

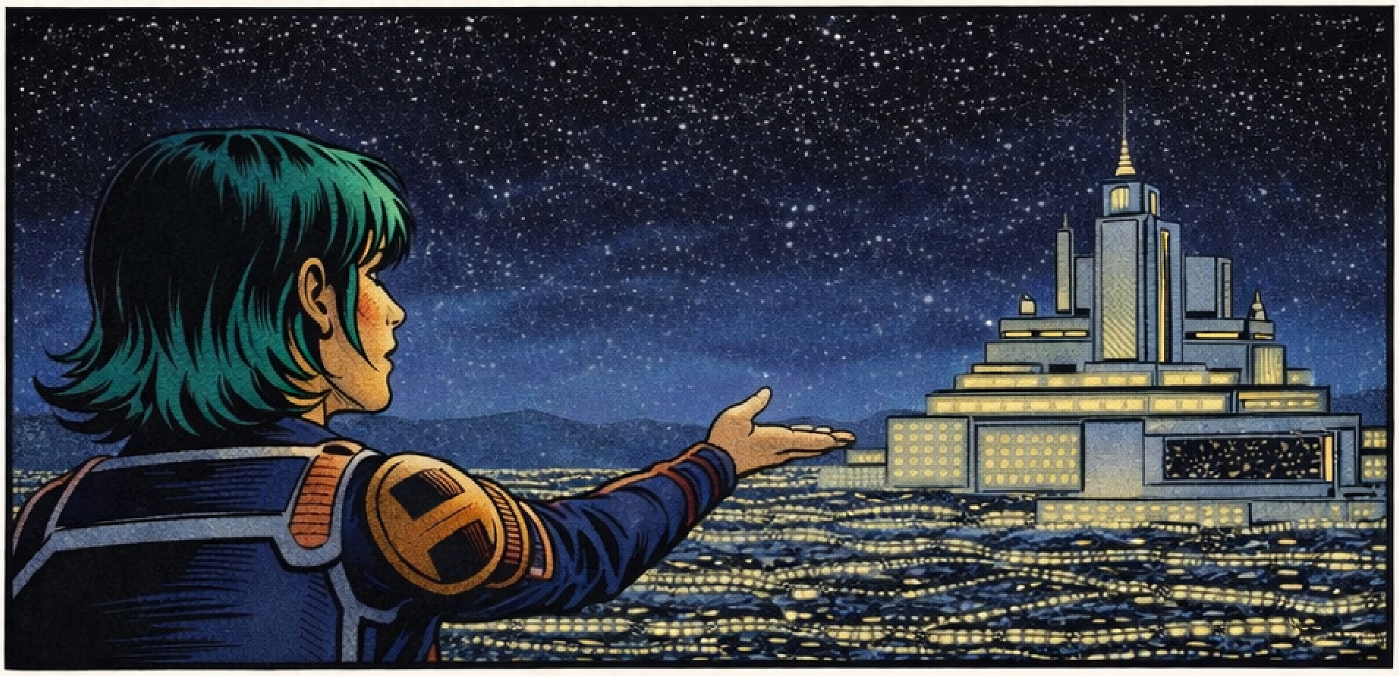
IT HURTS BECAUSE IT MATTERS, EZRA.
I DON'T WANT TO DRIFT FOREVER.

I WANT A LIFE. WITH YOU IN IT.

HEY.
I SAW YOU THE OTHER DAY.
WITH THOSE JEDI.
WHAT'S GOING ON WITH YOU AND THEM?

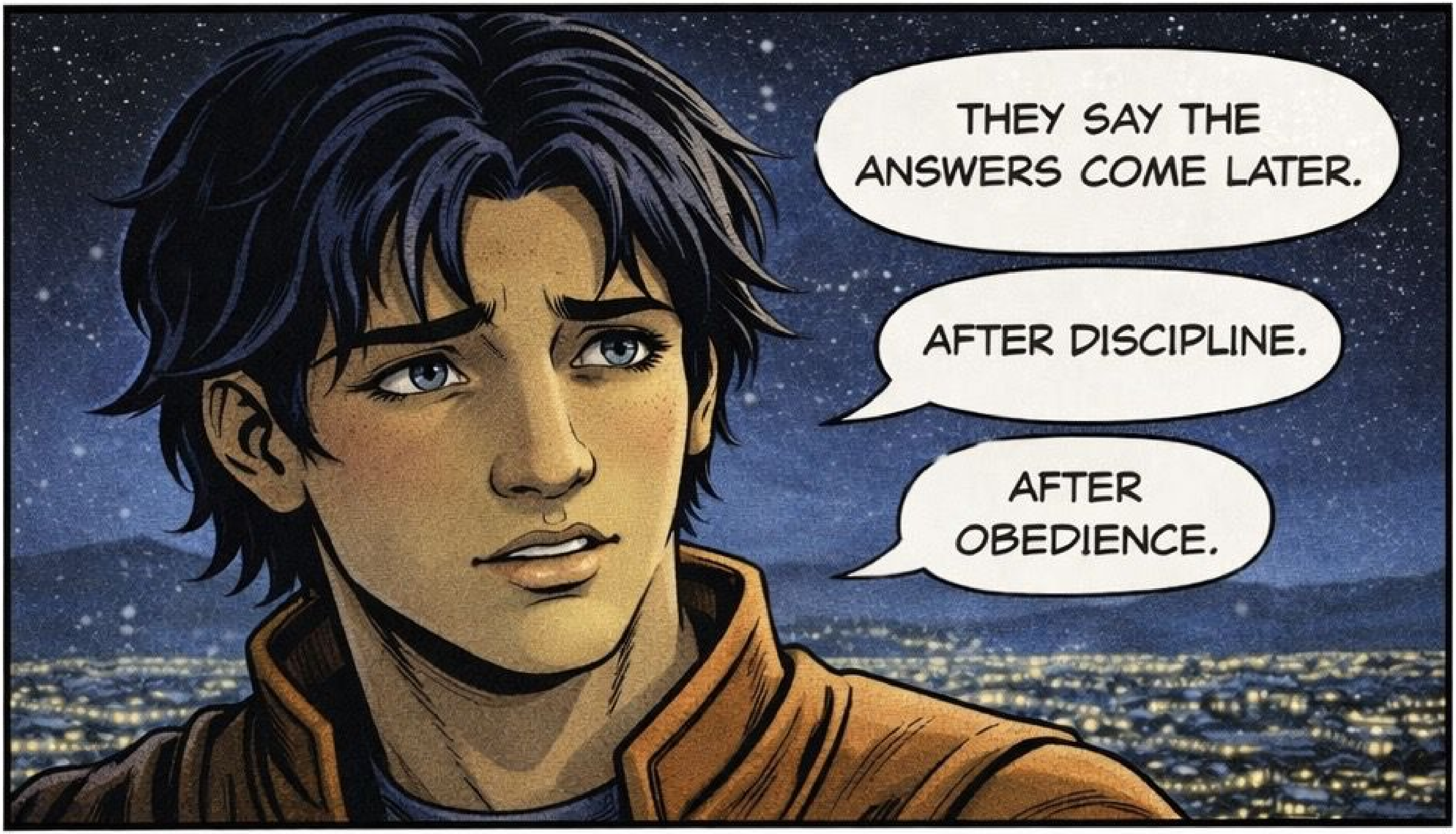
THEY'RE TEACHING ME THINGS. HOW TO CONTROL MYSELF.
OBEDIENCE OR CONTROL?
THEY'RE NOT LIKE THE SITH.
SO THAT'S WHAT THIS IS ABOUT.

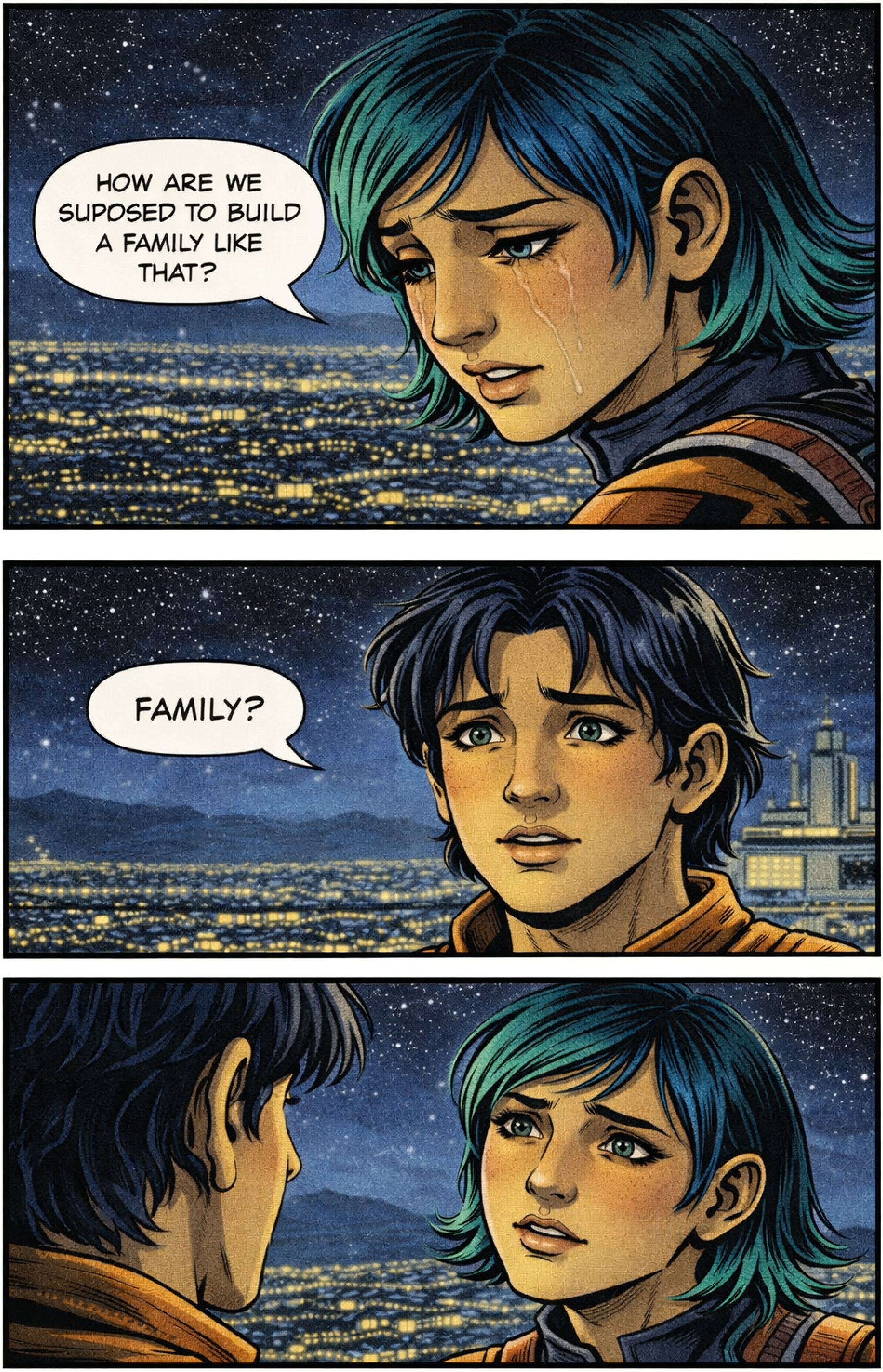
WHO TOLD THEM THE FORCE COULD BECOME SOMEONE?
WHO DECIDED IT COULD WEAR FLESH... FEEL PAIN... DIE?



WHO STARTED THE JEDI? WHERE DID IT ACTUALLY COME FROM?

I...I DON'T KNOW.
I'M STILL A PADAWAN.

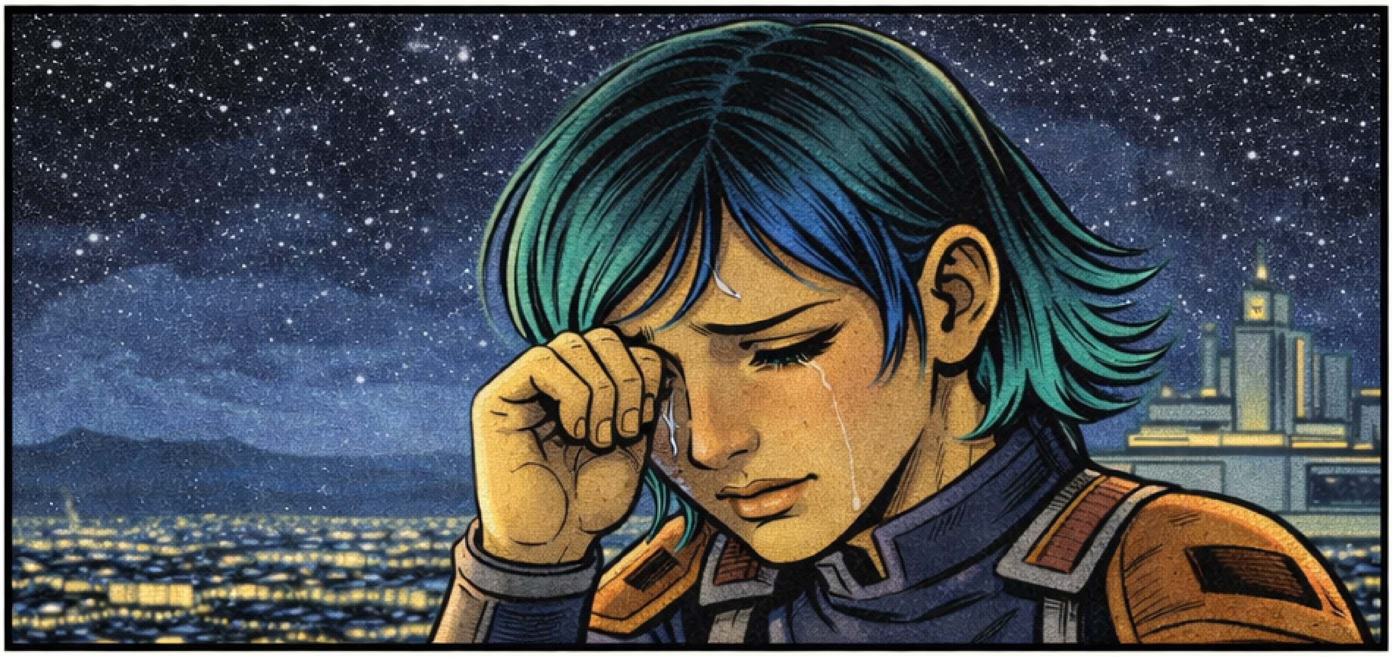

THEY SAY THE ANSWERS COME LATER.
AFTER DISCIPLINE.
AFTER OBEDIENCE.

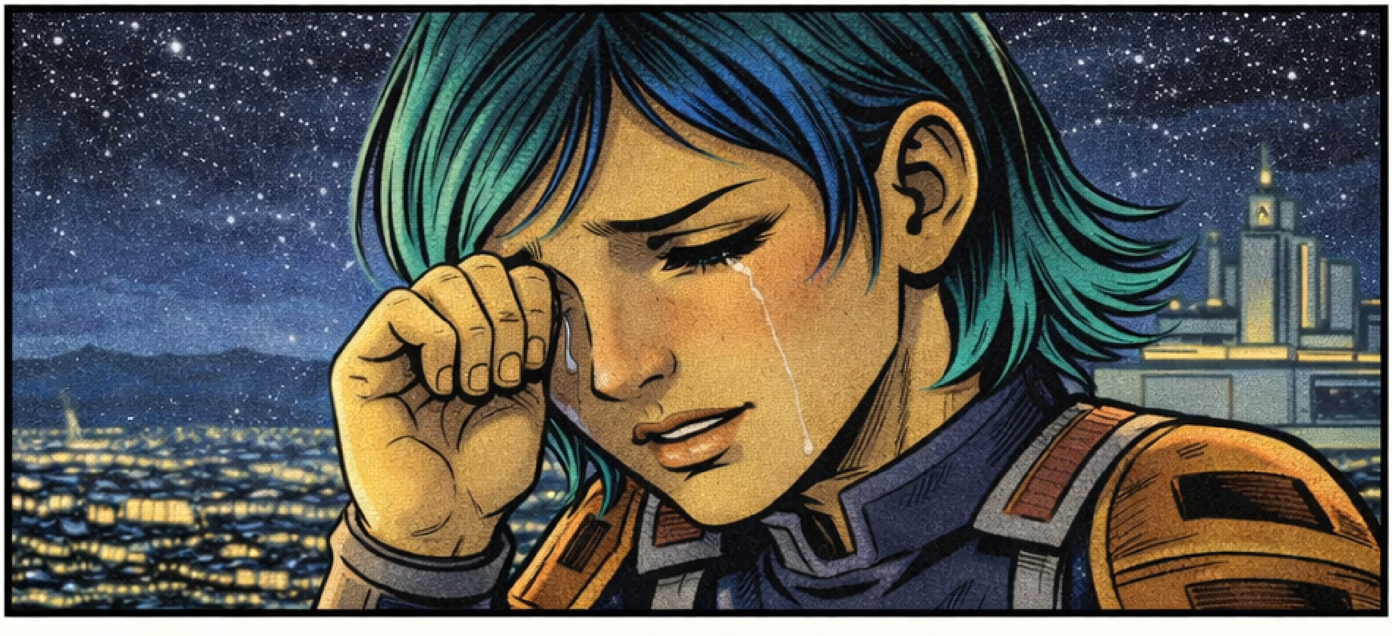

HOW ARE WE SUPOSED TO BUILD A FAMILY LIKE THAT?
FAMILY?

YES. WHAT AM I I SUPPOSED TO TEACH OUR KIDS?
WE DON'T HAVE TO THINK THAT FAR AHEAD.
OF COURSE WE DO.

WHAT ARE WE THEN? FRIENDS! TRAINING PARTNERS?
HOW DO YOU EXPECT ME TO— FEEL?

NO—
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT!





WE DON'T HAVE TO RUSH EVERYTHING.
WE CAN WAIT... SEE WHERE WE LAND.

NO.

DON'T THINK I'M GOING TO CHANGE.
I'M NOT GOING TO BE A JEDI. I NEVER WILL BE.
WHY?
WHAT DO YOU HAVE AGAINST THEM?
I JUST CAN'T.

HEY... IT'S OKAY.
WE DON'T HAVE TO HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS RIGHT NOW.

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There is one gathering I never miss.
Not training.
Not combat.

THE READINGS

The Jedi Codex.
No one notices.
No one reacts.

This is the only place the Force felt alive to me.

all that controlling stuff isn’t discussed here at all.

Breathe
Light
Mercy
Mercy
But the Order treats it as decoration…

He felt... steady.
You have potential.

I can teach you.
The right way.
It sounded like belonging.

He kept correcting me.
The Codex said—
That comes later.
He wasn't listening.

Again.
I— I just finished it.
You rushed the transition.

I did everything right.
....so why did it feel heavier?

YOU'VE BEEN WEIRD ALL NIGHT.
I'M FINE.
YOU SAY THAT EVERY TIME.

WHY ARE YOU MAD?
I'M NOT.
OKAY, THEN WHAT IS IT?

YOU TRAIN ALL DAY, YOU COME BACK QUIET, AND THEN I'M JUST SUPPOSED TO GUESS?

WHAT DO YOU EVEN WANT TO KNOW? IT'S THE JEDI. YOU HATE THEM.

I DON'T HATE THEM. I JUST—

SO WHAT IS IT THEN, HUH?

I'VE GOT MASTERS TELING ME I'M NOT ENOUGH.

AND SO ARE YOU!

EXPECTATIONS FROM EVERY CORNER.

EZRA— STOP IT.
I DON'T THINK YOU'RE NOT ENOUGH.
I'M JUST... NOT READY.
READY?!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN NOT READY?
I GAVE YOU A CHANCE.
I GAVE **US** A CHANCE.
WHY WON'T YOU GIVE ME A CHANCE?

WAIT~WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

I CAN'T DO THIS ANYMORE.

You're real.
I've never felt you like this.

Hey.

I'm not here to explain.
I was wrong.
I'm sorry for putting my weight on you.

If you can forgive me... I'd be grateful.
If not, I understand, I was wrong.

I forgive you.
What happened to you...?
You don't chave to carry me anymore.

Thank you.

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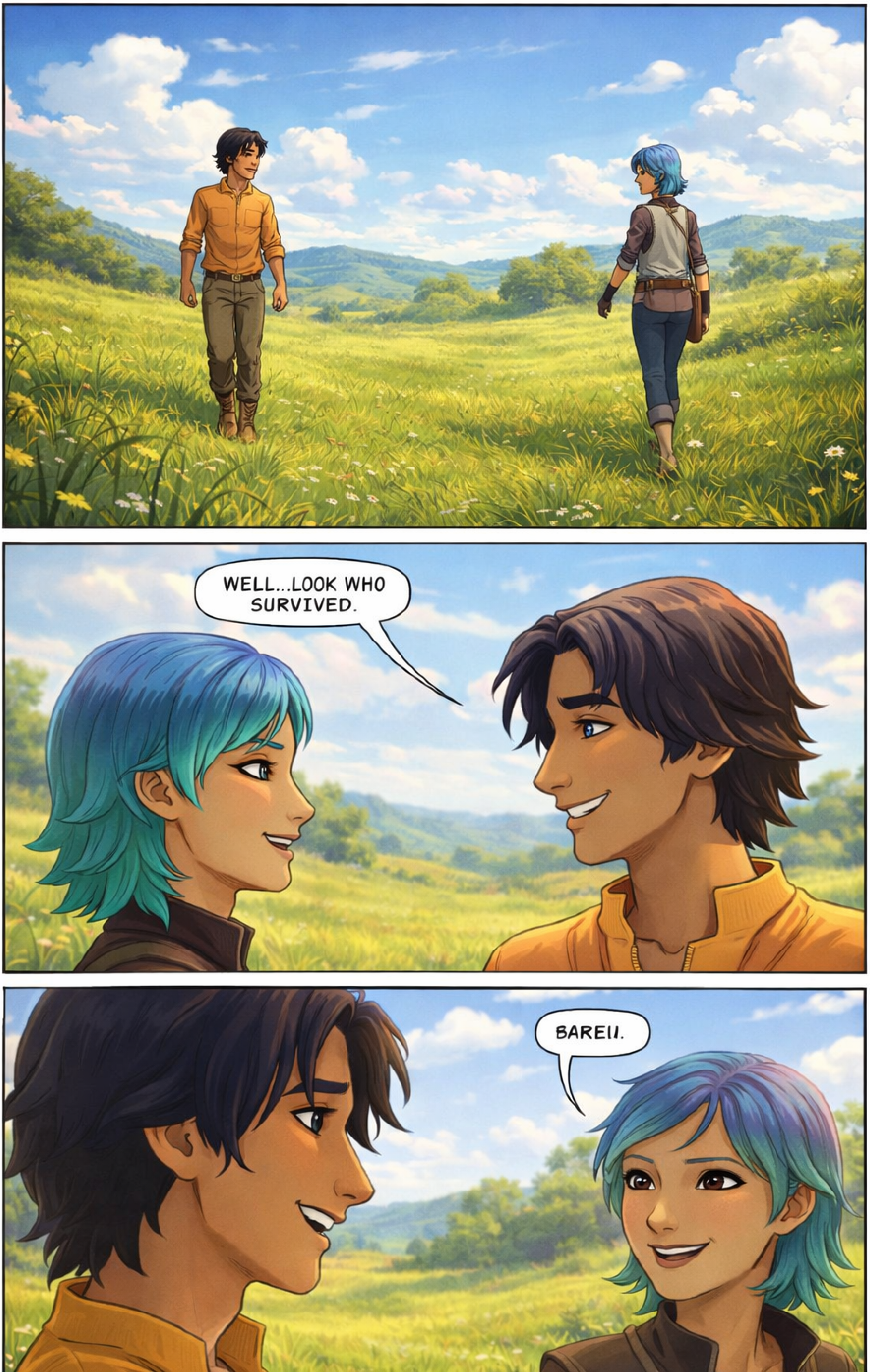
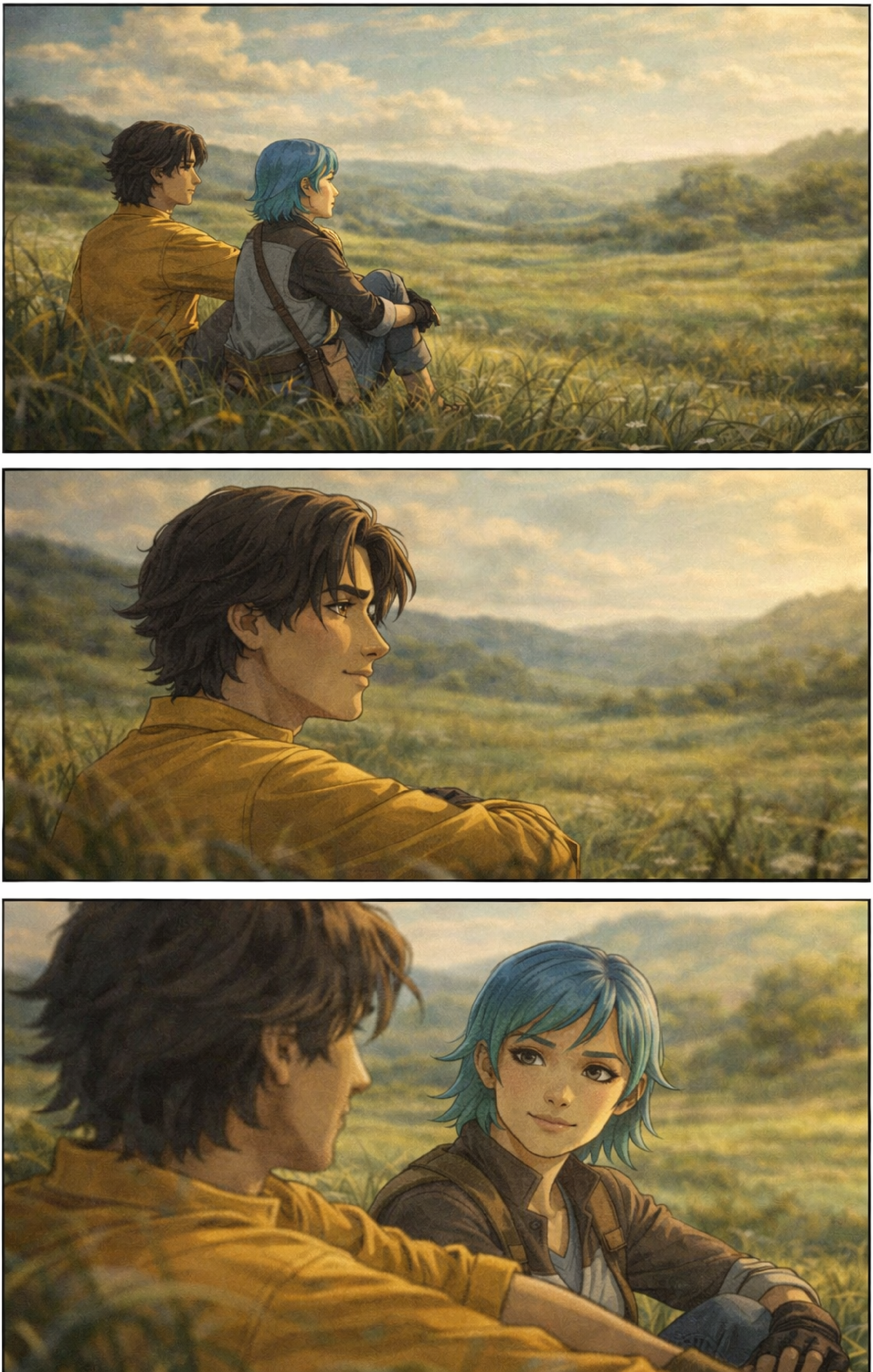
SABINE WREN


WELL...LOOK WHO SURVIVED.
BAREII.

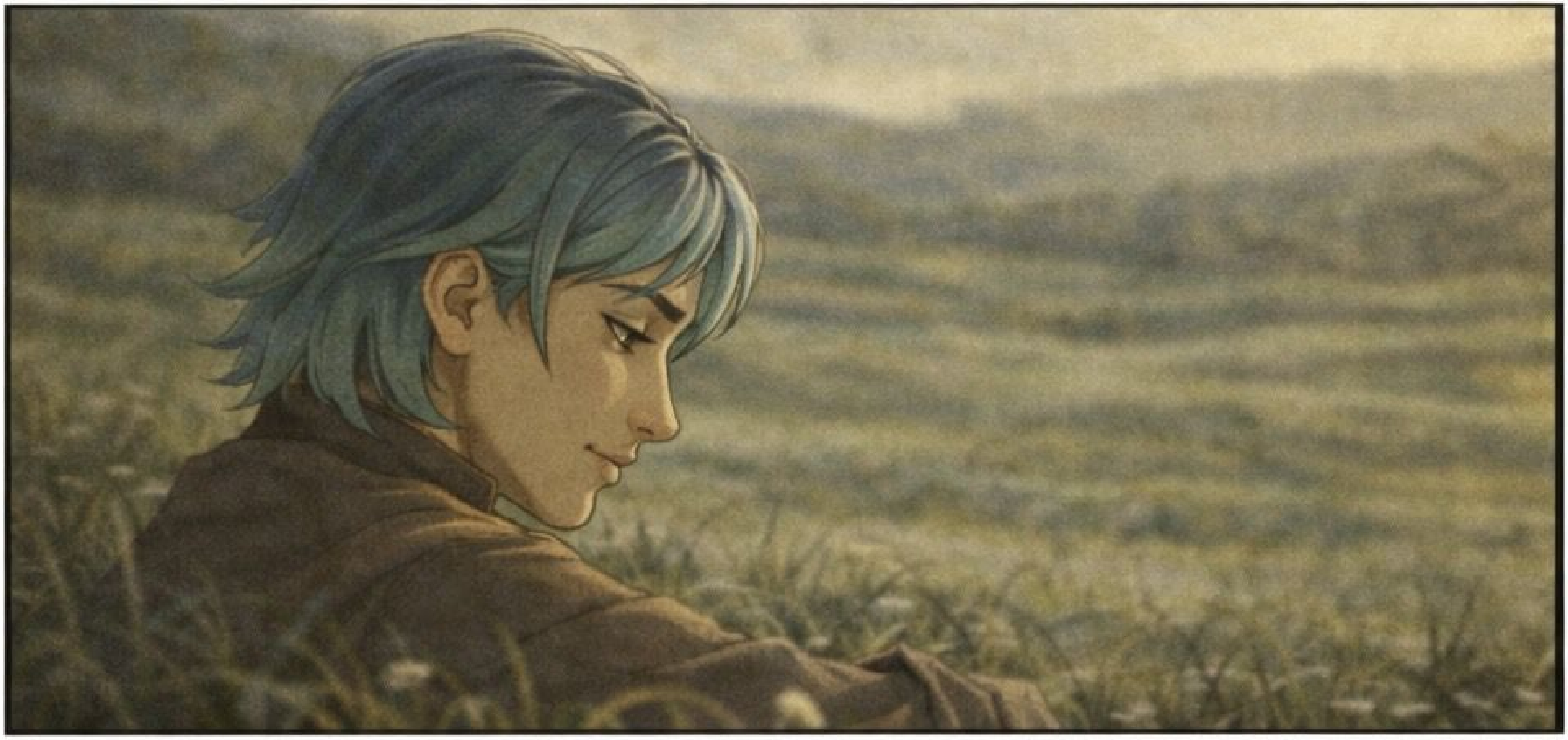
YOU MISSED.
I WAS TRAINED FOR WORSE.
SURE YOU WERE.



They... started the Trials.

And?

I passed the first two.
" I don't really know how.



Hey.

You'e already moving.
I can feel it.

"Moving doesn't mean leaving!"
Too quicklly.
I know.
BEAT.
Tthat's not what I'm afraid of."
"..Then what is it?.""

"You're ready for something I'm not."
You don't have to be ready— for everything.
We can just--
you're a Force-sensitive, aren't you?

You don't have to become a Jedi.
You don't have to do the Trials.
You can just... be with me.
NO, EZRA! NO!

I don't understand, why won't you just give us a chance?
It's not about rules.
It's about what happens to me when I get close.
That's fine, I don't care about rules either... I—

I dôn't ĝet it.
You keep saying you're not ready--
What does that even mean?
Can't you just... take a risk for once?
Stop.

It's just...
Silenee stretches.
When I feel it...
There's weight.

If I try right now...

...itll crush me.

I'm sorry..
I'm sorry..

You're going to be okay.

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JARRUS AND ZEB

"Just get through today.

Hey—sorry.
*Don't think.

"That's not focus. That's escape."

Ezra Bridger.
The Council will announce The Trial of Flesh soon. Be ready."
...Okay, whatever.

You wanna talk?
About what?
"You tell me."
"I'm fine."

If I stay quiet, it won’t hurt.
She was my anchor.
now she’s gone.
i have no choice

"The Trial of Flesh tests what remains...."
...when comfort is removed."

"You will be shown what binds you."
"To pass...
...you must let it go."
I can do that.

"To pass...
...you must let it go."
"This is attachment."

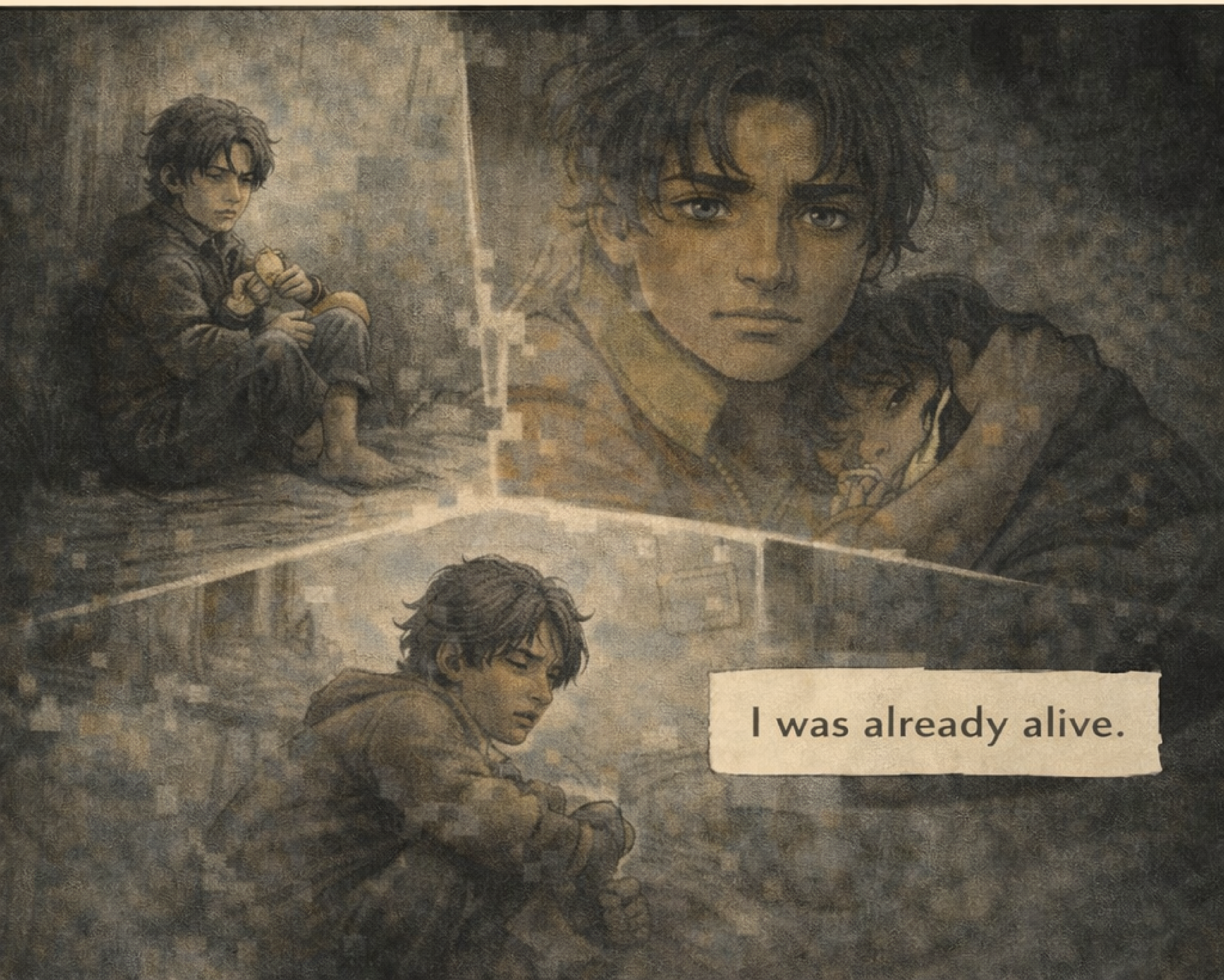
"NO."
You won't take her from me.

What we had was real.

She's not an illusion, **NO!**
What are you Jedi doing to me?
Did she bring you into this world—
—or the Force?

HEY!

She didn't save me...


I was already alive.

He carried me… long before I loved her.
"…okay."

Well done
Ezra Bridger !

YOU DID WHAT WAS ASKED OF YOU. THAT'S THE DUTY OF A JEDI.
I DON'T CARE ABOUT BEING A JEDI.

I HAD EVERYTHING SIMPLE.
I HAD HER.
NOW SHE'S GONE.
WHY DOES EVERYTHING HAVE TO BE SO - COMPLICATED?.

THIS WORLD IS UNFINISHED, EZRA.
IT'S FULL OF PAIN BECAUSE IT'S STILL BEING FUUGHT FOR.
I KNOW HIDING FEELS SAFER.
I WANTED THAT TOO.
BUT YOU CAN'T HEAL THE WORLD FROM INSIDE A CAVE.

WE DON'T HAVE TO BE STONE COLD SOLDIERS THO. CAN'T WE JUST MOVE DIFFERENT?
NO.
YOU'RE HERE NOW.
THE FORCE IS WITH YOU.
THE CHOSEN ONE MUST BRING BALANCE TO THE GALAXY.

A SAVIOR?

They felt it... and suddenly they decide what I am.
They feel something in me and they call it hope.
They call it destiny.

BUT THEY DON'T KNOW ME.
THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT IT COSTS.
They look at me like I'm supposed to fix it.
Like I'm supposed to carry them.

I don't know how I'm going to do this...

Ezra, you have to go through with.
This is important. We all do this-
Ezra, this is the path forward.
No.

What do you mean, "no?"
This is the Jedi way!
NO!
GET AWAY FROM ME!

We have a CODE RED.
The Chosen One has abandoned his station.
STOMP STOMP

STUN HIM!
ZAP
ZAP
ZAP

ZAP

She was here.
...now it's just quiet.

I never told you, Sabine but...

I love you.

...This is goodbye.